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### **A \$1,000,000 Winning New Jersey Lottery Powerball Ticket Is About To Expire**

**TRENTON, N.J. (Sept. 2, 2014)** – Carole Hedinger, N.J. Lottery Executive Director, announced that a second-tier prizewinning ticket worth \$1,000,000 from the Wednesday, September 18, 2013 Powerball drawing is about to expire. Claimants have one year from the date of the draw to claim the prize and this ticket will expire on Thursday, September 18, 2014, if not validated.

The unclaimed winning ticket was purchased in Hudson County at Convenience Express, 8401 River Road in North Bergen. The date of the draw was Wednesday, September 18, 2013. The winning numbers for that draw were: 07, 10, 22, 32 and 35. The Red Powerball number was 19. The \$1,000,000 winning ticket would have matched the five white balls correctly.

“Everyone plays the lottery to win so when there is an unclaimed winning New Jersey Lottery ticket we need to notify the public,” said Hedinger. Anyone holding this winning ticket should immediately sign the back, contact Lottery Headquarters at 609-599-5801 or visit any Lottery retailer to validate the ticket and file their claim. The ticket holder may have the ticket validated at any retailer and receive a confirmation slip that they can bring to Lottery Headquarters during business hours.

The State receives a minimum of 30 percent of the unclaimed prize money annually to fund Lottery beneficiaries. Special player promotions and Second Chance drawings, such as the Million Dollar Replay program, are also funded by the unclaimed prize fund, returning unclaimed winnings back to the Lottery playing public. Please visit the [NJLottery.com](http://NJLottery.com) website and select the Where Lottery Money Goes tab to see where the State Treasury allocates Lottery revenue.

#### **ABOUT THE LOTTERY**

Since its inception in 1970, the New Jersey Lottery ([NJLottery.com](http://NJLottery.com)) has contributed more than \$22 billion to the State in support of education and institutions. In Fiscal Year 2013 the Lottery’s contribution was more than \$1 billion. Among its beneficiaries are: veterans homes, community and other colleges and universities, school nutrition programs, homes for the developmentally disabled, psychiatric hospitals, higher education scholarship programs and the Marie Katzenbach School for the Deaf.

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